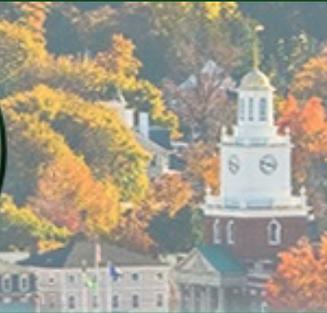
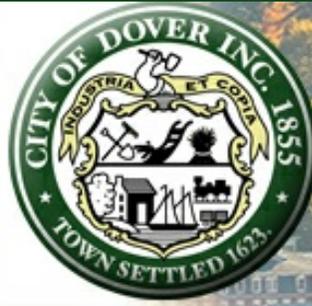


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News from the City of Dover, New Hampshire

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City of Dover launches live streaming of Channel 22

Dover's governmental access television channel, Channel 22, is now available as a live stream. The live stream allows anyone to view live programming from Channel 22 on a computer or a variety of mobile devices. The live stream can be accessed here on the City's website. This page also includes a programming guide for the day.

In addition to live streaming, the City continues to offer on-demand viewing of programming from Channels 22 and 95. All of the City's on-demand content can be found on the page above or by clicking here.

Meetings this week:

**Joint Building
Committee, July 7
6 p.m.**

The Joint Building

Committee for the high school and Career Technical Center will hold a regular meeting on Tuesday, July 7, 2015, at 6 p.m. in School Board Chambers at the McConnell Center.

To view the agenda, [click here](#).

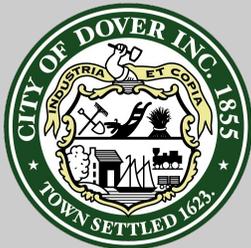
City Council, July 8 7 p.m.

The City Council will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, July 8, 2015, at 7 p.m. in Room 306 at the McConnell Center.

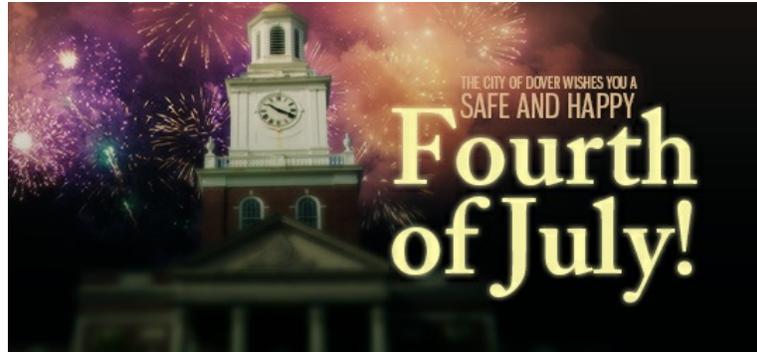
To view the agenda, [click here](#).

To view televised meetings online, on demand, visit www.dover.nh.gov/dntv.

For a complete list of upcoming meetings visit the [meeting calendar page](#).



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Annual fireworks display is Saturday, July 4

The annual 4th of July fireworks display will be held on Saturday, July 4. Fireworks begin at 9:15 p.m. Henry Law Park and the surrounding downtown areas are the best locations to view the fireworks.

The fireworks display will be preceded by a performance of the 39th Army Band at the Rotary Arts Pavilion, from 7 to 9 p.m. Food and novelty vendors will be available at Henry Law Park.

The rain date for the fireworks display only is Sunday, July 5.

As the holiday approaches, safety officials are reminding residents to be safe. Please listen to Dover Police Chief Anthony Colarusso, Jr., and Dover Fire Chief Richard Driscoll explain how to be safe this holiday, while respecting the law, in the video linked below.

[Fireworks, Safety and the Law](#)

City Hall hours:
Monday-Thursday
8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**Recycling Center
hours:**
Tuesday, Thursday,
Saturday
8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

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Founding Fathers return to Dover for the reading of the Declaration of Independence

Dover kicks off Independence Day with its annual reading of the Declaration of Independence. Garrison Players Arts Center performers Don Briand as John Adams, Tom Dunnington as Benjamin Franklin and Rich Salvati as Thomas Jefferson will read the Declaration at 9 a.m. on the steps of Dover City Hall (288 Central Ave).

This is the 15th year the Garrison Players have been a part of the Dover Independence Day celebration.

Garrison Players Arts Center (GPAC) is a nonprofit, volunteer-based community theatre group dedicated to enriching the cultural life of the area by presenting high-quality theatrical performances geared for family audiences. Established in 1953, the players encourage people of all ages to enjoy and participate in the many facets of the performing arts, and to help maintain the Garrison Players Arts Center.

For more information about auditions, shows or GPAC, visit the website at www.garrisonplayers.org.

Recycling Center closed July 4

The City of Dover Recycling Center on Mast Road will be closed on Saturday, July 4, 2015, for the Independence

Day holiday.

Trash pick-up and curbside recycling are not affected this week by the holiday, which falls on a Saturday.

For more information, contact Community Services at 516-6450.

JBC to hold second Q&A session for public

At its next regular meeting on Tuesday, July 7, 2015, the Joint Building Committee for the high school and Career Technical Center building project will host a second question-and-answer session for the public. The JBC meeting begins at 6 p.m. in Room 306, School Board Chambers, at the McConnell Center. The meeting agenda can be [viewed here](#).

The public is encouraged to attend. The JBC is currently evaluating three options for the building project, including new construction, renovation or a combination of both. More information about the options under consideration can be found at the project's [online resource here](#).

The meeting will be televised live and rebroadcast on Channel 22, and will be available online for on-demand viewing.

For more information, contact the SAU at 516-6800.

The logo for Hoopla, featuring the word "hoopla" in a bold, blue, lowercase sans-serif font. The letters are slightly shadowed to give a 3D effect.

Borrow free digital video, music, and audiobooks
with your library card

Dover Library offers media streaming service Hoopla

The Dover Public Library is excited to announce a new digital media download service, called "Hoopla", for library cardholders. Thousands of movies, television shows, comics, music albums, eBooks and audiobooks are now available to download or stream, for free, through the library's new partnership with "hoopla digital" - all you need is a valid library card.

Beginning July 6, 2015, Dover Public Library cardholders can download the free "hoopla digital" mobile app on their Android or IOS device or [click here](#) to begin enjoying over 300,000 titles - from major Hollywood studios, record companies and publishers - available to borrow for instant streaming or temporary downloading to your smartphone, tablet, or computer. "hoopla digital" has a simple sign-up process and an attractive, easy-to-use interface, so it's easy to get to your listening and viewing experience. There's also no waiting to borrow popular movies, TV shows, albums or digital books. And the service's automatic return feature eliminates any late fees.

To access the system on your mobile device, you will need to first download the free "hoopla digital" app from the App Store on your Android or IOS device. (There is no need to download an app if you'll be using a computer.) Once you have downloaded the app to your device(s), and/or clicked on the "hoopla digital" link on our [website](#), you will be prompted to enter your email address, a password, your library card barcode number, and your library card PIN number. The system will validate that you are in good standing with the library, so that you may begin to browse, borrow, and enjoy the content. You will be able to begin streaming content immediately. You can also download content to view at a later date (in case you won't have Wi-Fi on that camping trip).

Once you borrow a title on one device, it is automatically available on all devices with the "hoopla digital" app and via your PC web browser (IE 8+, Firefox 12+, Safari 5+, Chrome 19+). You will be allowed to borrow a maximum

of eight titles each month. Video lends for 72 hours, music lends for 7 days, and audiobooks and eBooks lend for 21 days. You may access/view/listen to borrowed content as often as you want during the checkout period and you can return any borrowed title whenever you want.

To learn more about this exciting new offering, call our librarians at 603-516-6050. We hope library patrons will enjoy this new service and take advantage of all the new content now available to you through the Dover Public Library.



Silver Street open to one-way traffic during construction

Silver Street (NH Route 9) will be a one-way street, inbound (easterly) only, from the intersection with Arch Street and Towle Avenue to the intersection with Central Avenue (NH Route 108). This pattern will be in effect at all times of the day, every day, through at least the end of September.

The suggested detour route for passenger cars from downtown will be via Washington Street to Arch Street. The intersection of Washington/Arch Streets will be converted to a three-way stop during this project in order to help safely process the extra traffic. The secondary detour (truck route) will be via Central Avenue to the Spaulding Turnpike.

For more information, visit the Silver Street Reconstruction Project page [here](#) or contact Community Services at 516-6450.

Exit 5 northbound ramps closed for

Spaulding Turnpike construction

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation has closed the Exit 5 northbound ramps on the Spaulding Turnpike in Dover for several months. Portable concrete barriers will be used at Exit 5 to close off the existing on and off ramps. The Exit 5 ramps will reopen later this summer.

A northbound traffic shift will allow for the construction of the new northbound tie-in from the Little Bay Bridge to the existing northbound lanes north of Exit 5. The Exit 5 ramps will be reconstructed to match the new alignment.

Motorists needing to access Wentworth Terrace and Hilton Park will be directed northbound to Exit 6W, and to a detour back to Boston Harbor Road and under the new Little Bay Bridge to get from the west side to the east side of the Turnpike. Southbound traffic needing to access Wentworth Terrace and Hilton Park, will be able to use Exit 6S and proceed to the signals at US Route 4/Boston Harbor Road.

Detour signs will be erected to show the new traffic pattern. Fire, emergency vehicles and school buses will need to use the detour. Boaters wishing to launch at Hilton Park should also take notice of this planned ramp closure and detour.

For more information, contact NHDOT at 603-271-3734.



Cochecho Arts Festival kicks off
29th season July 10

The Cochecho Arts Festival begins its 29th season on Friday, July 10. The annual festival comprises the Children's Series on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m., the Farmer's

Market performances on Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m., Shark in the Park concerts on Wednesdays from 6-8 p.m., and the Headliner Series on Friday nights at 6 p.m. In addition, the Festival includes Shakespeare on the Hill on Sundays.

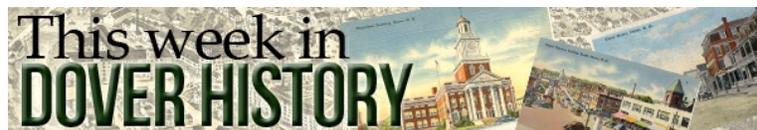
Upcoming performances are:

- Friday, July 10, 6 p.m., Rhythm Method, with the Blues Brats (Sponsored by Federal Savings Bank), Rotary Arts Pavilion, Henry Law Park;
- Tuesday, July 14, 10:30 a.m., Rockin Ron the Friendly Pirate (Sponsored by Portsmouth Christian Academy), Rotary Arts Pavilion, Henry Law Park;
- Wednesday, July 15, 3:30 p.m., North River Band (Sponsored by Dupont's Service Center), Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce, 550 Central Ave.;
- Wednesday, July 15, 6 p.m., Rosie (Sponsored by 102.1 & 105.3 The Shark), Rotary Arts Pavilion, Henry Law Park.

All Cochecho Arts Festival events are free to attend and open to the public.

The festival is organized by the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce.

For more information, [click here](#).



The following events are recorded in "Notable Events in the History of Dover, New Hampshire: From the First Settlement in 1623 to 1865," by George Wadleigh, "Historic Rambles About Dover," by Robert A. Whitehouse, "Port of Dover: Two Centuries of Shipping on the Cochecho" by Robert A. Whitehouse and Cathleen C. Beaudoin, and several other historical sources.

For more on the history of Dover, settled in 1623 and the oldest permanent settlement in New Hampshire and

seventh oldest in the country, visit the Dover Public Library, Locust Street; and the Woodman Institute Museum, Central Avenue. The Public Library also maintains an online collection of historical information, located at <http://www.dover.lib.nh.us/DoverHistory/cityof.htm>.



July 4, 1667 - The selectmen "agreed with Lt. Coffin to build a fort about the meeting house on Dover Neck, (built in 1652) one hundred foot square with two sconces of sixteen foot square, and all the timber to be twelve inches thick and the wall to be eight foot high with sills and braces, and the selectmen with the military officers have agreed to pay him 100 pounds." This fort was constructed upon the mound of earth the relics of which still remained visible on the Neck. (1872) The building of this fort is the first intimation we have of the construction of any defenses against the Indians. The colonists of Cochecho had been unmolested as yet, although there had been troubles in the south at an early period; nor did any open act of hostility occur here until the breaking out of King Philip's War in 1675. But the construction of these defenses implies that at this period, 1667, suspicions were entertained as to the disposition of the Indians.



July 6, 1690 - Two companies under the Captains Floyd and Wiswall, who were scouting, discovered an Indian track, which they pursued till they came up with the enemy at Wheelwright's Pond, in Lee (then a part of Dover), where a bloody engagement ensued for some hours; in which Wiswall, his lieutenant, Flagg, and Sergeant Walker, with twelve more, were killed, and several wounded. It was not known how many of the enemy fell, as they always carried off their dead. Floyd maintained the fight after Wiswall's death, till his men, fatigued and wounded, drew off; which obliged him to follow. The enemy retreated at the same time; for when Captain Convers went to look after the wounded, he found seven alive, whom he brought in by sunrise the next morning, and then returned to bury the dead.



July 8, 1707 - John Bunker and Ichabod Rawlins, both of Dover, going with a cart from Lt. Zachariah Field's garrison to James Bunker's for a loom, were assaulted by many Indians, and both slain. The enemy, supposed to be 20 or 30 in number, slaughtered many cattle for the Jones's at the same time, to the number of 15 or more.



July 4, 1806 - The day was noticed with "uncommon festivity." "Its early dawn was liberally saluted by Capt. Henderson's company of Artillerists, which performed the occasional evolutions with great spirit and precision." At 11 o'clock the company collected at Mr. Ela's tavern "where the parched throat was agreeably slacked with cooling punch." An elegant dinner was prepared in "Union Hall upon the hill opposite the Great Falls."



July 3, 1849 - The town of Rollinsford, formerly part of Dover, and afterwards of Somersworth, set off and incorporated.

Free Maker workshop at the Dover Library: Soldering

Back by popular demand, learn to make simple soldered circuits at the Dover Public Library on Wednesday, July 8, at 6:30 p.m. through a partnership project with Port City Makerspace.

This is a free library workshop about simple electronics and soldering, which is the process of fusing metals together by melting solder between them. Participants will use a hot soldering iron to melt solder and then fuse LED lights to a wearable robot badge. This workshop is open to ages 10 and up, but pre-registration is required. There are 10 spots available. Sign up through the library's Event Calendar [here](#) or call the Library at 603-516-6050 to register.

The workshop will be hosted by Alex from [Port City Makerspace](#), a nonprofit shop that provides tools and work space to members for a low monthly fee. They offer education aimed at safely utilizing tools and workspaces,

and also promote the exchange of ideas. Members work both independently and collaboratively to research ideas, develop projects, and put their heads and hands to good use. They are open to the public at 68 Morning Street in Portsmouth and no experience is necessary. There are lots of reasons that you need tools in your life, and they are willing to help in any way they can.

For more information about this workshop, call Susan at the Dover Public Library at 603-516-6050.

Retired US Army Pilot speaking at the Dover Public Library on July 7

Robert Curtis, a retired Air Force pilot and author from Exeter, will speak at the Dover Public Library on July 7, 2015 at 7 p.m. Curtis will read from his book "Surprised at Being Alive: An Accidental Helicopter Pilot in Vietnam and Beyond" and take questions about his experiences. Copies of his book will be available for purchase at the event.

With over 5000 hours -- "mishap free," as he says in his recently released book 'Surprised at Being Alive' -- on a wide range of aircraft including the Sea King Mk4, Robert served with the US Army, the US Army National Guard, the US Marine Corps and the Royal Navy. Robert also has 980 hours of combat flight time in Vietnam as the Aircraft Commander of a CH-47C.

Robert's book tells of his thrilling helicopter exploits with four Armed Services, including the Royal Navy, bringing together stories and memoirs from over 5,000 flying hours and from many different countries, the book brings to life the dangers and thrills of life as a helicopter pilot.

The Dover Public Library is pleased to welcome Curtis as part of their Adult Summer Reading program "Escape the Ordinary" which highlights heroes and extraordinary people in our community. Curtis' career in the armed forces is a wonderful example of heroes in our community.

The program is free and open to the public.

For more information, call the Library at 603-516-6050.

Dover Police Charities seeks sponsors for annual golf tournament

Dover Crimeline, in partnership with the Dover Police Charities, is seeking sponsors for the 22nd annual Dover Police Charities 2015 Fall Classic Golf Tournament, to be held Sept. 15, 2015, at The Links at Outlook, South Berwick, Maine.

As a sponsor, your organization will be recognized on application forms, brochures given to participants, and by a sign posted at the golf course. A Tee or Hole sponsorship is \$175. The proceeds from this tournament will be used to support Dover Crimeline and the charitable activities of the Dover Police Charities, Inc.

The deadline for sponsorship is July 1, 2015.

For more information or to become a sponsor, contact Lisa Dalton at the Dover Police Department at 742-4646 or via email at l.dalton@dover.nh.gov.

Summer reading programs for all ages under way at the library

"Every Hero has a Story", a five-week reading program for children in grades K-6 (and a special preschool program, too), is now under way and will continue through Tuesday, Aug. 4. The program is designed to encourage children to make reading an important part of their summer activities.

Registration continues for the duration of the program. Dover Public Library card holders (including non-resident borrowers) are welcome to sign up for the program. Children must come to the library in person to register and

receive their booklets or folders and a voucher for a FREE ticket to a Portland Seadogs baseball game.

Children will then return with their booklets or reading logs (after recording books/minutes read) to earn stickers and prizes.

Besides reading, many exciting things will be happening during the five weeks of the program. "Drop-in" story times will be conducted every Wednesday at 10 a.m.; the "Creation Station" in the Children's Room will have a supply of materials all day, every day for children to make a craft project to take home; LEGO Saturdays will be held all day on July 13, 20, 27 and Aug. 1.

And, mark your calendars for the following special programs/presentations that are sure to make summer reading a heroic adventure:

- Tuesday, July 7 at 10:30 a.m. -- "What it takes to be a Firefighter" (Dover Fire Department)
- Thursday, July 9 at 10:30a.m. -- "CSI at the Library" (Dover Police Department)
- Thursday, July 16 at 10:30 a.m. -- "High-Flying Heroes" (an interactive, outreach program sponsored by the Friends of the Dover Public Library and presented by the Children's Museum of NH) Registration required
- Monday, July 20 at 10:30 a.m. -- "A Day in the Life of a Baseball Player" (Seacoast Mavericks baseball players and their mascot)
- Wednesday, July 22 at 3 p.m. -- Mario Kart Tournament (5th grade and up), registration required
- Thursday, July 23 at 10:30 a.m. -- "In the Tracks of a Hero" Art Workshop (with artist Susan Schwake from Art Stream of Dover NH) Registration required

Children are invited to "Paws for Reading" with Murphy. Murphy, a certified therapy dog, and her handler, Karen, will be in the Children's Room on Saturday, July 18 from 10-11 a.m. Murphy loves a good story but needs someone to read it to her. If you are interested in helping Murphy and in practicing reading aloud, sign up ahead of

time or drop by for a visit and a chance to read.

In addition to the above programs, the library's Monday Movies will feature free movies in the Lecture Hall every Monday afternoon at 2 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Feel free to bring your own refreshments.

The schedule is as follows:

- Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles, July 6, rated PG 13
- The Incredibles, July 13, rated PG
- Teen Beach Movie 2, July 20, rated PG
- Batman: Mask of the Phantasm, July 27, rated PG
- Home, August 3, rated PG

"Unmask" is the theme of the Teen Summer Reading Program which runs until Aug. 4. All participants may choose to read whatever they enjoy-novels, magazines, graphic novels, comic books, nonfiction. For every two hours of reading completed, participants will be given a raffle ticket-and will get to choose on which prize to bid. Some of the great prizes that will be offered throughout the five-week program-gift certificates to local business, Target gift certificates, day passes to The Works, Regal Cinemas gift cards, passes for Laser Tag at Funspot, a Kindle Fire HD7 and much more.

Middle school readers are eligible participate in both the Children's Program and the Teen Program (finish one, begin another). Drop by the library's adult circulation desk to sign up for the Teen Program, visit online at <http://library.dover.nh.gov>, or call 516-6050 for more information. The first 100 participants will receive a coupon for a free small cheese pizza from Weeksie's Pizza and the first 50 participants will receive a free book.

A celebration for all readers enrolled in the summer program and their families will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 4 from 10:30 a.m. to noon. After grabbing a snack and a drink, find a place on the lawn and enjoy the music and antics of The Toe Jam Puppet Band sponsored by The Friends of Dover Public Library. The Toe Jam Puppet Band offers a special brand of hands-on entertainment that

children and grown-ups can enjoy. The performances encourage kids and parents to sing and dance along with the band as they entertain with a unique combination of original songs, masterful shadow puppetry, storytelling and just "plain old good fun".

Dover Public Library announces the 2015 Adult Summer Reading Program: Escape the Ordinary

"Escape the Ordinary" is the theme of Dover Public Library's 2015 Adult Summer Reading Program. Patrons are invited to try something new this summer - exploring heroes, superheroes, and other extraordinary people, places and events. Try a new genre, borrow a superhero DVD, honor local heroes, or take place in weekly trivia puzzles.

Registration is ongoing.

For more information, call the library at 603-516-6050, or check the library's [website](#) or [Facebook page](#). Pick up a brochure about the program at the library.

CITY OF DOVER  **SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Stay informed with City of Dover special announcements

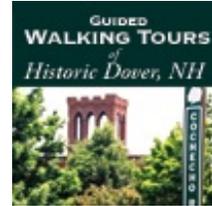
Want up-to-date information about road work, emergencies, special projects, and other important information? [Sign up now](#) to receive special announcements via email.

In addition to Dover Download, the City of Dover offers a variety of e-mail updates, including emergency and road closure information, Police Facility and Parking Garage updates, Silver Street reconstruction news, news from the Public Library, waterfront development, and more.

To sign up for one or all of the City's updates, [click here](#). An e-mail address is required to access the special announcement mailing lists.

Dover Chamber kicks off new season of historic walking tours

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce will offer guided walking tours of historic Dover on Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. this summer. The tours will be held through September.



Tours will depart from the Chamber, 550 Central Ave., and will travel downtown. Attendees will learn about the rise and fall of Dover's textile industry, "Dover's Black Day" and famous visitors to Dover.

Dover is New Hampshire's oldest, continuous settlement.

Tours are \$8 per person, or \$5 per person for a family of four or more, with a maximum of \$20. These tours last approximately 90 minutes. A water bottle and sneakers are recommended.

New this year is an architectural tour, and returning for its second year is a tour of Pine Hill cemetery. The architectural tour meets at the Locust Street parking lot for St. Joseph's Church. The cost of this tour is also \$8 per person, or \$5 per person for a family of four or more, with a maximum of \$20.

The Pine Hill Cemetery tour must be reserved in advance. The cost of the cemetery tour is \$10 and meets at the Pine Hill Cemetery.

For more information or to make reservations, call (603) 742-2218.

opportunities

Want to work for the City of Dover? The City's website offers an updated list of open positions, including job descriptions and a downloadable application for employment.

To see what positions the City is seeking to fill, [click here](#).

Time to register your vehicle? Save time, register online

Did you know you can save yourself time and a trip to City Hall by registering your vehicle online?

Online vehicle registration renewal is easy, safe and secure. You can register online by providing a PIN number or your license plate number. Your PIN number is provided by the City of Dover and can be found on your renewal notice.

For your convenience, you can now pay for motor vehicle registration by credit card.

For more information on the E-registration process, [click here](#).

Missed the meeting? Catch it again online

Don't forget: If you missed the live City Council, School Board or Planning Board on Channels 22 and 95, you can catch it again, online and on demand.

Simply visit the City's website at www.dover.nh.gov/dntv to begin watching meetings on demand. Online meetings are organized by agenda item for convenience.



Want to stay up to speed on exciting events and activities in Dover? Sign up for the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce's weekly newsletter, Peek at the Week, for up-to-date information on what's happening in Dover.

Whether it's the schedule for the Cochecho Arts Festival, art exhibits or where to shop for local products, sign up for Peek at the Week, and you'll be ready for the week ahead.

You can sign up to receive the Chamber's Peek at the Week by e-mail [here](#).
